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Serial No.: 10/634,664	)	Examiner: A. Farah
Filed: August 5, 2003	)	
For: LIGHT DELIVERY CATHETER	)	Art Unit: 3735

## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In an Office Action of July 14, 2006, the Examiner stated that the document filed on April 4, 2006, in response to an Office Action issued on October 4, 2005, was non-compliant because the amendment of claims showed claims 2, 5, 10, and 31 as "withdrawn", but showed the language of the claims as completely deleted.

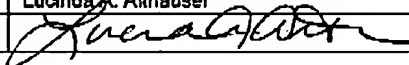
In response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2006, please find attached an amended response to the Office Action issued on October 4, 2005, which marks claims 2, 5, 10, and 31 as "cancelled" and does not include the text of those claims. In addition, references to claims 2, 5, 10, and 31 as "withdrawn" in the remarks section of the response to the Office Action issued on October 4, 2005 have been replaced with references to the claims as "cancelled". No other changes have been made to said response.

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Actions of October 4, 2005, and July 14, 2006, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**An amendment to the abstract** is provided on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 19 of this paper.